In February, 2007, an International Symposium "Indus Civilization and Tamil Language" was organized at Chennai by the State Government of Tamil Nadu Several scholars had participated in it but they failed to arrive at any consensus.

(c) Does not arise.

Monuments and archaeological sites in NER

2135. SHRI KUMAR DEEPAK DAS: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of ancient monuments and archaeological sites under the protection of Central Government in N.E. Region in details;

(b) whether the National Mission on Monuments and Antiquities has taken into consideration the heritage site area of the district of Barpeta, Assam;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether in the interest of the development of heritage sites of various Municipal and Town areas like Barpeta, Sivsagar, Gauripur, etc. can be identified for the basic infrastructure facilities, urban services under the JNNURM;

(e) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(f) if so, the details of initiatives?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY): (a) There are 82 monuments/sites declared as of national importance in the N.E. Region. State-wise details are as under:—

Arunachal Pradesh	:	03
Assam	:	55
Manipur	:	01
Meghalaya	:	08
Nagaland	:	04
Tripura	:	08
Sikkim	:	03

(b) and (c) Yes, Sir.

(d) to (f) Under the centrally sponsored Urban Infrastructure Development Scheme for Small and Medium Towns (UIDSSMT), which is implemented by the Ministry of Urban Development, all eligible towns as per Census 2001 excluding those covered under Urban Infrastructure and Governance (UIG) component of JNNURM, are eligible for access to financial assistance for the infrastructure development projects on admissible components. A list containing details of the projects and financial assistance granted to the towns of Assam including Barpeta and Gauripur is given in the enclosed Statement.

Statement

Urban Infrastructure Development Scheme for Small and Medium Towns (UIDSSMT)

Project-wise release as on 0.06.09

Overall allocation (Rs. in crore)	101.29
Total ACA committed so far (including incentive) (Rs. in crore)	189.53
ACA released so far (Rs. in crore)	99.56

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Name of towns/cities	Scheme/Name of component	Cost approved by SLSC	Total eligible Central Share (90%)	Amount of 1st instalment	ACA recommended to *M/o* finance		Incentive @ 1.5% for DPR preparation	1st instalment of ACA released during 2006-07	1st instalment of ACA released during 2007-08	1st balance instalment of ACA released during 2008-09	Total release
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9	10	11	12
	Assam					**1st**	**2nd**					
1.	Hoiai	Water Supply	1055.54	949.99	474.99	474.99		15.83	490.82	0.00	0.00	490.82
2.	Titabar	Storm Water Drains	828.85	745.97	372.98	372.98		12.43	385.41	0.00	0.00	385.41
3.	Pathsala	Storm Water Drains	503.06	452.75	226.38	226.38	226.37	7.55	233.93	0.00	226.37	460.30
4.	Bokakhat	Storm Water Drains	545.74	491.17	245.58	245.58	245.59	8.19	253.77	0.00	245.59	499.36

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
5.	Lakhipur	Water Supply	815.88	734.29	367.15	367.146	0.50	0.00	367.65	0.00	367.65
6.	Lakhipur	Storm Water Drains	632.1	568.89	284.45	284.45	9.48	0.00	293.93	0.00	293.93
7.	Hailakandi	Storm Water Drains	783.64	705.28	352.64	352.64	11.75	0. 00	364.39	0.00	364.39
8.	Hojai	Storm Water Drains	992.98	893.68	446.84	446.84	14.9	0.00	461.74	0.00	461.74
9	Sarthebari	Storm Water Drains	274.14	246.73	123.36	123.36	4.11	0.00	127.47	0.00	127.47
10.	Dhekiaiuli	Storm Water Drains	722.88	650.59	325.30	325.30	0.00	0.00	30.04	295 26	325.30
11.	Mariqaon	Storm Water Drains	423.77	381.39	190.70	169.51	0.00	0.00	0.00	169.51	169.51
12.	Hamren	Storm Water Drains	226.47	203.82	101.91	90.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	90.59	90.59
13.	Chabua	Storm Water Drains	226.91	204.22	102.11	90.76	0.00	0.00	0.00	90.76	90.76
14.	Gosaiqoan	Storm Water Drains	201.98	181.78	90.89	80.79	0.00	0.00	0.00	80.79	80.79
15.	Barpeta Road	Storm Water Drains	328.57	295.71	147.86	131.43	0.00	0.00	0.00	131.43	131.43
16.	Lanka	Storm Water Drains	399.11	359.20	179.60	159.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	159.64	159.64
17.	Lakhipur	Storm Water Drains	264.18	237.76	118.88	105.67	0.00	0.00	0.00	105.67	105.67
18.	Howraqhat	Storm Water Drains	262.75	236.48	118.24	105.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	105.10	105.10
19.	Digboi	Storm Water Drains	1074.97	967.47	483.74	483.74	16.12	0.00	0.00	499.86	499.86
20.	Basugaon	Storm Water Drains	756.09	680.48	340.24	340.24	11.34	0.00	0.00	351.58	351.58

1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9	10	11	12
21.	Maibong	Storm Water Drains	492.61	443.35	221.67	221.67		7.39	0.00	0.00	229.06	229.06
22.	Lala	Storm Water Drains	612.21	550.99	275.49	275.49		7.96	0.00	0.00	283.45	283.45
23.	Barpeta	Storm Water Drains	1871.96	1684.16	842.38	842.38		28.08	0.00	0.00	870.46	870.46
24.	Udalquri	Storm Water Drains	743.50	669.15	334.58	334.58		11.15	0.00	0.00	345.73	345.73
25.	Simaluquri	Storm Water Drains	667.74	600.97	300.48	300.48		10.02	0.00	0.00	310.50	310.50
26.	Gauripur	Storm Water Drains	547.64	492.88	246.44	246.44		8.21	0.00	0.00	254.65	254.65
27.	Jorhat	Storm Water Drains	1592.42	1433.18	716.59	716.59		23.89	0.00	0.00	740.48	740.48
28.	Sapatqram	Storm Water Drains	565.06	508.55	254.28	254.28		8.48	0.00	0.00	262.76	262.76
29.	Dhubri	Storm Water Drains	710.17	639.15	319.58	319.58		9.23	0.00	0.00	328.81	328.81
30.	Derqaon	Storm Water Drains	1660.36	1494.32	747.16	747.16		21.58	0.00	0.00	768.74	768.74
	28	30	20783.28	18704.95	9352.48	9235.79	471.96	248.19	1363.93	1645.22	6946.79	9955.94